

KIPP:SAN FRANCISCO

COLLEGE PREPARATORY



OUR MISSION

The mission of KIPP San Francisco College Preparatory is to prepare all students with the academic skills, knowledge, and strength of character to succeed in college and in the competitive world beyond. Through a rigorous college-preparatory curriculum that emphasizes critical thinking, analytical writing, and public speaking, students will be empowered to take ownership of their own education and achieve success not only as students, but also as active citizens engaged in their communities.

PRINCIPAL

Caroline Gifford

OUR VALUES

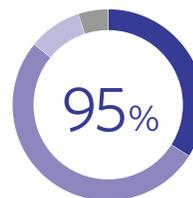
Excellence
Grit
Community
Joy

2014-15 KIPP SAN FRANCISCO COLLEGE PREPARATORY SCHOOL PROFILE

In August 2013, KIPP San Francisco College Preparatory opened its doors to a founding class of 120 ninth grade students. We believe that education is the key that will allow all of our students to realize their fullest potential. Through a rigorous academic program, we will prepare students for success in college and beyond, as well as empower our students to be informed citizens who participate actively in their local and global communities.

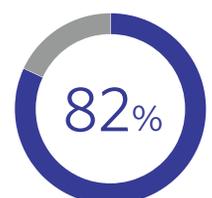
STUDENT BODY

251 students, Grades 9-10 (expanding to 9-12)



are students of color

● African American
● Latino ● Asian ● Other



qualify for federal free and reduced price meals program

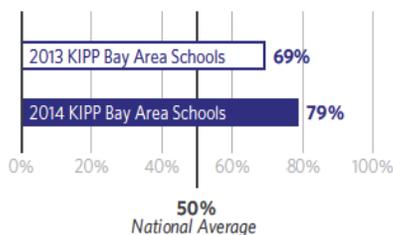
Additional information: 8 percent of students are English Language Learners and 10 percent are students with special needs.

ACADEMIC RESULTS

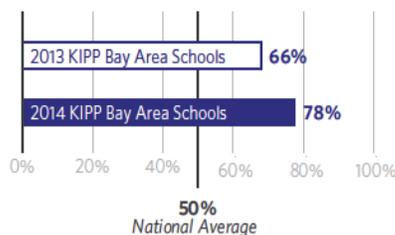
For the 2013-14 school year, California did not administer its standardized tests and the related Academic Performance Index (API) scores that enable comparison across schools. In place of those results, we are sharing the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP), a nationally norm-referenced exam taken by KIPP schools across the country. Nationally, 50% of students make typical growth in reading and math. At KIPP Bay Area Schools, 79% did so in math and 78% in reading, and we are improving each year.

The ACT EXPLORE is a national standardized test taken by 8th and 9th grade students to gauge college readiness and college preparedness. KIPP SF College Prep students made, on average, more than twice what is considered expected growth on the ACT Explore. 63% of students scored at or above the College Readiness Benchmark. If our students continue to progress at this rate, our average ACT score will be a 23, which will position students for acceptance into competitive and highly competitive colleges and universities.

GROWTH IN MATH



GROWTH IN READING



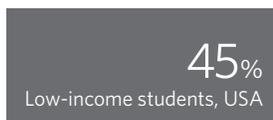
BEYOND ACADEMICS

KIPP San Francisco College Prep partners with the Boys and Girls Club of San Francisco to provide a wide array of extracurricular activities and sports. We currently complete in girls volleyball, boys soccer, boys and girls basketball, baseball, and softball. Additionally, KIPP SF College Prep offers afterschool tutoring and homework help as well as clubs for cheerleading, drama, cooking, and jazz band, and student government.

KIPP THROUGH COLLEGE

KIPP Through College ensures that all KIPP students and alumni have the skills and resources they need to navigate through college and into self-sufficient adulthood. Services include: high school transition support for eighth graders; one-on-one college advising for eleventh and twelfth graders; alumni advising for KIPPsters in college; and career readiness coaching.

COLLEGE MATRICULATION



FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

KIPP Bay Area School's first class of alumni will graduate from college in 2014. Below is a partial list of colleges and universities where alumni have enrolled:

- Barnard College
- Brown University
- California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo
- California State University, East Bay
- California State University, Sacramento
- Carleton College
- Colby College
- Dominican University of California
- George Washington University
- Loyola University New Orleans
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- Middlebury College
- Notre Dame de Namur University
- San Francisco State University
- San Jose State University
- Simmons College
- Stanford University
- University of California, Berkeley
- University of California, Irvine
- University of California, Merced
- University of California, Riverside
- University of California, Santa Cruz
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of San Francisco
- Yale University

In the San Francisco Bay Area, seven KIPP middle schools and three KIPP high schools are closing the achievement gap between low-income students and their more advantaged peers. These public charter schools are located in underserved neighborhoods of San Francisco, San Jose, San Lorenzo, and Oakland. Of the 3,200 students that KIPP Bay Area Schools serves, 95 percent are students of color and 77 percent are low-income.

TO LEARN MORE about KIPP Bay Area Schools, please visit www.kippbayarea.org.

TO MAKE A GIFT to KIPP Bay Area Schools, contact Alex Romanak, alex.romanak@kippbayarea.org, or 510.629.1189.